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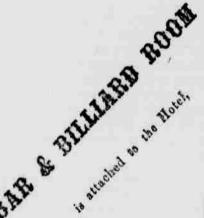
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We acknowledge the favor of interestin Public documents from Hon. S. B Elkins

Delegate Etkins has succeeded in obtain ing form the President, an abrogation o the treaty with the Jicarilla Apache Indian8 assigning to them that portion of New Mex ico north of the San Juan river and east of the Navej reservation That is right. These Indians, now at the Cimatron Agency, have never occupied their reservation. They do not wish to go there. Hunting and fishing on the Maxwell Grant is good enough for them. The lands, which were included in the reservation, are excellent for agricultural purposes and are new thrown open to settle ment, declared to belong to the public dommain. The best route to the San Juan coun try, the New Mexico route, passes through takes time to learn some things-[New this reservation. It is very advantageous on this account to have the treaty abroga

The Fort Stockton Telegraph states that the average rainfall at that post is 14 inches per annum. The increase has been very noticeable for the last few years. Fort Stockton is situated in Texas, on the Pecos just south of the New Mexico boundary The average rainfall in this portion of New Mexico, we believe is given at 18 inches. In the great wheat producing regions of Callfornia, the annual rainfall does not amount to more than 18 inches. The ramy season of California however is during the winter and spring months, and the wheat attains its growth before the dry wenther. Irriga tion is but butle practiced. Lanus which were formerly looked upon as utterly barren are now the great wheat growing dutriets. Here the greatest rainfall is from May to September. This necessitates late planting in order that growing crops may receive the benifits of the summer rains. Irrigation is of soil and climate were thoroughly studied, that the best crops of wheat and corn could be produced three years out of five without

brigation. It is not disadvantageous that the rainfall is in the summer instead of the winter. If 20 000 000 bushels of wheat can be raised annually in California, the same skill in agriculture would produce good crops in New Mexico where the mois tura is equally as great. We need some scientific experiments in farming before the capabilities of this Territory can be understood.

few localities only, in the early part of the supplies they need for summer, are brave season. They injured gardens but did not and during. Then in what have we any attack corn and wheat. Grass for pasturage advantage. Surely not in number-; they and hay is abundant. Wheat is well filled and the corn crop was never excelled.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Arizona Enterprise charges \$25 00 for the announcement of a candidate during gence; but the man who takes a Sioux Inthe cam, nign,

The grasshoppers are foraging in the north western states, particularly Minnesota.

+++ The Turks and the Servian and Monte negrin insurgents are still at war. Each side claims a victory after each encounter.

and faith in the government. The City of can't stand the "two shoots," as they call Paris, France, wanted some money loaned our shells, and stampede at the very report. and her citizens subscribed a sum fifty They know every ridge, ravine and canon times gren er than was required. ****

way of a continuous line of States from the be covered, and just where we #ill be ex. Atlantic to the Pacific, since Colorado has posed. Had we artillery they would soon voted in favor of a State and Constitution | find all of these calculations upset. The by a majority of 11.404.

Colorado, lett Denver on the 25th of July to present the official result of the State election to President tireat who, as prescribed by law will issue his proclamation to admit Colorado into the Union of States. ***

Leon, a lamous Mexican horseman intends to ride ten mustangs one hundred any of their plane, and they are at sea. miles in five hours.

A young man named Randall a native of New York, who accompanied a party of tourists from Damaseus to J. rusalem. was taken prisoner by some Arabs who took him home with them. As time passed along he concluded to submit to his fate, got him self an Arabian wife and is now a powerful man among the lords of the desert.

armets of Bugland, their toughts are one was unnecessary.

after another returing the land to the pro prietors, and they, on account of too much competition in their staples from abroad and and the increased price of labor at home are forced to offer estates for sale for which no purchaser can be found.

In Plattsburg, Mo., a pig got entrance into the edifice where a prayer meeting was going on, and would not be detained in its progress until it had found its way up in the pulpit alongside the preacher who realiz ing the extremity to which he was reduced left the church followed by the congrega-

A Western lady visiting in this city happened to mention a prominent Brooklyn elergyman in a small company. An ominous and expresive silence showed that she had made a mistake. One of the ladies inform. ed her in an asi de that she had mentioned a name that could not be spoken with propriety in the best New York society. It York Graphic.

increased Respect for Sitting Bull-Artillery Wanted.

[Louisville CourierJournal's Correspondent with General Crook's Command.] We have certainly had enough time to ruminate over the last fight to find its weak and strong points and improve from the lesson. As disrespectful as it was for Sitting Buli and his hordes to come out and assault twenty companies of the United Statesarmy I think that every individual thus assaulted has more respect for him to day than ever before that offense. The fact is that no one in this command had any idea that we were to meet any such formidable enemy and a more sudden or more radical change of opinion was never made than on the 11th ultimo on the Rosebud. And the greatest change was with our chief. When one underrates his enemy he labors at a disadvantage. This command thought that its long winding length, coming over hills and through ravines, would stampede the Siouz not necessary for any other purpose than and so it would have any other tribe on the to start the crops, only in exceptional sens. But they stampeded in the right sons, and we doubt not that if the condition direction, and made the assault. Never west of the Mississippi River has one fourth of the numbers, within our knowledge (for we don't know prything about Terry's command), engreed in battle at one time, nor one-sixteenth the firearms in the hands of savages opposed United States troops. The Apaches, one of the most notorious tribes with which we have had to deal, never in all our battles with them combined killed and wounded as many soldiers as they did on

the 17thuit. I hey ambushed a great many soldiers and citizens, but in battle they had not sand or the arms. Here the Sioux bave arms equal to our own, and in more skillful hands The prospect for abundant harvests in Their ponies, with their training, lightness New Mexico was never better. The ravag and speed over rocks and ravines, are far es of the grasshoppess were confined to a superior to our horses. They have all the have the choice of position every time, are in a country naturally so defensive that in the hands of a civilized foe could be held by one fourth of an invading army. Then where is our advantage? Superior Intellidian for a fool had better start home while his heir is on his head. They certainly are sufficiently intelligent to fight in a manne, we can not eclipse. There is one strong The when: erep in the valley of the Rio advantage we could have if "the powers Grande is said to be very good this year, that be" only thought so; and that would be to have artitlery-an arm they have not and which is superior to their own. Then in battle large parties in sale position could not stand and look idly on till they anw vantage ground and then awoop down That's what one may call patriotism and on fresh ponies to achieve their ends. They on the site they select for battle; they know which way to advance and which way to Utah is tue only Lecritory now in the retreat. They know just where they will experience of fifteen battles proves to the The private Secretary of Gov. Routt, of novice that I am, that in no one of those engagements could artillery have been used to greater advantage than in the engage. ment of the 17th u'r. More skilltul than we in the use of we pan we both have, they are almost indomitable They always go in with much assurance of success, but let any unforeseen contingency arise that thwarte And they are always at sen when they are

fighting at a disadvantage; hence the utility of some heavy guns-heavy when compared to our carbines and rifles. In no campaign of this magnitude, even with a civilized for where we have a year, a front, and flanks and is it not necessary to keep our whole

battle-field covered to keep the wounded. dying and dead from being mangled by the fiendish enemy, since the invention of field-Free trade seems to be injurious to the pieces, has it been regarded that artillers

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